

From: Jan Piercy [redacted] on behalf of Jan Piercy
Sent: Sunday, August 5, 2012 6:04 PM
To: BBB Backup (BlackBerry Bold 9700 (02-03-2013))
Subject: Re: Fwd: Acumen Fund Partner Trip to East Africa - January 2013

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Dear Huma,

(dropped H from the list as I'm sure she doesn't need a logistical email!)
Kenya-based Suraj Sudhakar, Director of the East Africa Fellows Program, who was himself a Fellow, is the best contact. His email is [redacted] and his mobile number is [redacted]. And it may be important to note from Security standpoint that Acumen conducts an extremely rigorous background check on all Fellows applicants. Suraj is discreet and very capable. I know that he travels across the region, so it would be good to contact him ASAP so he's not out of country when you're there.

Let me know if I can assist in any way. Thanks so much,
Jan

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On Thu, Aug 2, 2012 at 4:34 AM, Huma Abedin <Huma@clintonemail.com> wrote:

Hi Jan - I'm sure we can figure out a photo with the Acumen east africa team. I assume Batool is in the US? Please send me info on who we can contact to set up. Not sure about timing since government meetings are still in flux so if you can hold off on telling them anything.
Thanks.

From: H
Sent: Wednesday, August 01, 2012 06:52 PM
To: 'jpiercy([redacted])'
Cc: 'ValmoroLj@state.gov' <ValmoroLj@state.gov>; Huma Abedin
Subject: Re: Fwd: Acumen Fund Partner Trip to East Africa - January 2013

We just added Kenya only for government meetings but I'm copying Huma and Lona to see whether I could at least meet the fellows and have a photo w them.

From: Jan Piercy [mailto:[redacted]]
Sent: Tuesday, July 31, 2012 12:28 PM
To: H
Subject: Fwd: Acumen Fund Partner Trip to East Africa - January 2013

Dear Hillary,

Not sure if Kenya is on your itinerary, but the Acumen East African Fellows program is incredible -- would love to tell you about it. Definitely worth meeting them if you will be there, because this is a very significant investment in building human capital, and networks that cross the economic, tribal, cultural and other divides that hobble inclusive development. It was a big gamble to organize this, but the first cohort has completed their year with amazing results.

I'm actually thinking of going on this trip -- taking over your travel shoes as you hang them up for awhile! Just wish I could have traveled with you while you've been at State, but look forward to times when your life is not so completely officially orchestrated!

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From: Batool Hassan [redacted]
Date: Tue, Jul 31, 2012 at 9:00 AM
Subject: Acumen Fund Partner Trip to East Africa - January 2013
To: jpiercy [redacted]

Dear Jan,

I am writing to invite you to join a small group of Acumen Partners for a trip to Kenya and Uganda the week of January 13th, 2013. We will spend time with the Acumen East Africa team, visit up to five Acumen investees, and also have the chance to see the work of the amazing [East Africa Fellows](#). In addition, for those interested there is an option to extend this trip with a safari through our partner Elevate Destinations.

[All details on the trip can be found here](#), and we will take RSVPs on a first-come first-serve basis.

East Africa has been the fastest-growing region for Acumen over the past five years, with a portfolio that's grown to \$18.5 million in 13 companies across our sectors. We've seen particular growth in agriculture and renewable energy access, which will be the primary focus of this trip, and we are learning so

much about how these issues directly impact the lives and well-being of our customers.

For any questions about the trip please reply to this note or contact Megan Beck at or .

We hope you can join us!

Warm regards,

Batool Hassan
Head of Business Development | Acumen Fund

p.s. In case you missed the date our annual Investor Gathering is on November 8th, 2012 in New York!

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